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Re: New U.S. Patent Application
LIGHT SHUTTER DEVICE AND A DRIVING METHOD THEREOF
By: Tsukasa YAGI, Ken MATSUBARA, Tatsuya KANAZAWA, and
Tomohiko MASUDA
Attorney Docket: 15162/02500

Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing are the following papers relating to
LIGHT SHUTTER DEVICE AND A DRIVING METHOD THEREOF, Tsukasa YAGI,
Ken MATSUBARA, Tatsuya KANAZAWA, and Tomohiko MASUDA, inventors:

- (1) Specification (20 pages, including 18 claims and an abstract);
- (2) Unexecuted Declaration and Power of Attorney (9 pages);

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- (3) Formal Drawings (11 sheets);
- (4) Transmittal letter (2 pages) with PrintEFS Patent Application Bibliographic Data (2 pages); and
- (5) Transmittal letter (2 pages) with certified copy of priority document (27 pages).

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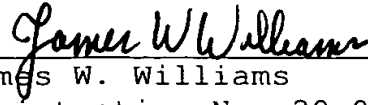
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Submitted herewith is bibliographic data (2 pages) for
the above-identified application, in the PrintEFS Version
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Respectfully submitted,

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